PROJECT TITLE	:	CIGARETTE DEVELOPMENT 4
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PME CIGARETTE DATA BANK

Objective

To introduce all the parameters of a project into the computer in order to be able to make the utmost use of the information on the projects.

Present situation

At the present time, all the information on the technical sheets, filters and materials used in filter manufacturing is stored in the PME Cigarette Data Bank.

Details of each group of information are as follows :

- Group 2 : Filter Materials
  - 20 filter additives : 23 technical sheets (PME)
  - 21 filter solutions : 4 technical sheets (PME)
  - 22 filtration materials : 29 technical sheets (PME)
  - 23 plug wraps : 59 technical sheets (PME)
  - FTR filters : 32
  - Filter Development + QC : 87

- Group 3 : Cigarette Materials
  - 30 cigarette papers : 97 technical sheets
  - 32 tipping papers : 237 technical sheets

- Group 80 : Glues : 6 technical sheets

The above gives a total of 11'100 pieces of information or results.

In a certain number of groups, some technical sheets were not entered as some information was missing :

6 in group 23
17 in group 30
90 in group 32
46 in group 34

The recording programmes of the projects are now finished. They will be made available to the users by mid-January 1982.

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Blend memorizing programmes will probably have been made by the end of January 1982.

The instruction manual for the entering of technical sheets concerning materials and filters has been finished.

An IBM 3287-2 printer has been set up in the Development laboratory. It is activated by means of a pre-programmed key, PA1, on the IBM terminals.

AREA IV

Two products have been launched in the Eastern countries :

TANDEM in USSR
PALINKA in Hungary

These projects have been dropped from the list of active projects.

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